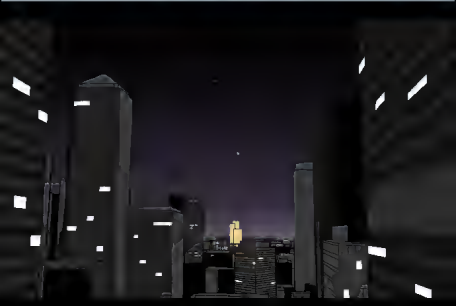
BEEP... BEEP...

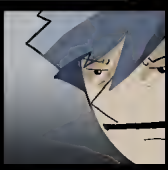


IT WAS TIME FOR ME TO MAKE ANOTHER IMPORTANT DECISION.

I THOUGHT ABOUT HOW THE DECISION I MADE A COUPLE YEARS AGO SHAPED MY LIFE.

GROWING UP IN SUCH A DEEP POVERTY, I HATED MY FATHER AND BROTHERS WHO RESORTED TO CRIME AND GAMBLING OUT OF DESPERATION. I ALSO HATED HOW PEOPLE LOOKED AT ME, THE SAME WAY THEY LOOKED AT MY FAMILY.

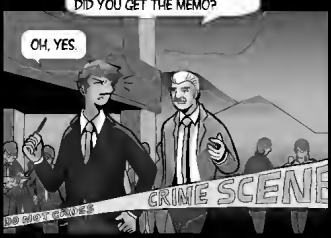
I FINALLY BECAME A PROSECUTOR AFTER ALL THE STUDYING AND DISCIPLINING.



EVERYONE SAID I WORKED TOO HARD. I WAS TENACIOUS AND MADE NO COMPROMISES.

BUT... YES, IT WAS THEN... IT WAS AFTER I MET MR. SMITH. WHEN EVERYTHING CHANGED...

HELLO. I'M SMITH OF KN GROUP. DID YOU GET THE MEMO?



WHAT ARE YOU SAYING!!!

DON'T MISUNDERSTAND...

I COMPROMISED BECAUSE THE CIRCUMSTANCES LOOKED ALRIGHT. I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE JUST ONCE.

HEY CARL... YOUR BROTHERS ARE NOW EMPLOYED AND THEY RESTARTED THEIR BUSINESSES. I'M PROUD TO HAVE A PROSECUTOR FOR A SON. THANK YOU. ALSO, YOUR FATHER QUIT DRINKING. THANKS. I LOVE YOU.

YES...MOTHER.

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YEAH... THAT DECISION, THE CHOICE I MADE. EVERYTHING CHANGED FOR THE BETTER... I WONDERED WHY I HADN'T DONE IT BEFORE...
YOU SHOULD'VE TOLD ME BEFOREHAND THAT YOU HELPED MY FAMILY. LET'S START STRATEGIZING.
BUT YOU KNOW... AFTER THE FIRST TIME, COMPROMISING BECAME EASIER...
I HEARD THAT MAN WAS ADDICTED TO GAMBLING AND CAUSED A LOT OF PROBLEMS. BUT WHAT HAPPENED? HE EVEN GOT A NEW CAR.
HIS YOUNGEST SON IS A SUCCESSFUL PROSECUTOR.
AS I CHANGED, EVERYONE ELSE DID AS WELL. IT FELT LIKE EVERYONE HAS BEEN LONGING FOR THIS TRANSFORMATION.
YOU'RE SAYING I BREACHED OUR CONTRACT? MY BROTHER'S A PROSECUTOR YOU JACKASS. YOU THINK YOU CAN WIN?
HEY WAIT...
I SOON REALIZED WHAT HAD GONE WRONG.
YOU SON OF A BITCH!!! I'M GOING TO CURSE YOU!
THIS GUY...
AS I CAME TO MY SENSES, I NOTICED THAT I WAS BECOMING LIKE MY BROTHERS WHOM I HATED. TRASH.

MR. SMITH IS BUSY SO I CAME IN HIS PLACE YOU CAN CONSULT WITH ME
THEY KNEW MY WEAKNESSES. SO THEY WEREN'T TOO CONCERNED ABOUT HOW THEY TREATED ME ANYMORE.
HOW
I WAS SO CORRUPTED THAT I FORGOT HOW MUCH I HATED THE KIND OF PERSON I HAD BECOME
EVERYTHING WENT HAYWIRE AFTER THAT DECISION. IT WAS MY CHOICE AND EVEN FOR A LITTLE WHILE, I ENJOYED IT.
WHO WOULD NOTICE THAT I REGRETTED MY DECISION AND THAT I WAS TRYING TO CHANGE BACK TO WHO I WAS
YEAH... AND MY REGRETS WERE SLOWLY DIMINISHING...
THAT'S RIGHT... IN PROFESSOR HARVEY'S BASEMENT, MY REMAINING PRIDE REMINDED ME...OF WHO I WANTED TO BE...MY YOUNGER SELF.
AND THIS ROBOT THOUGHT I COULD HELP BECAUSE IT BELIEVED MY YOUNGER SELF REFLECTED WHO I TRULY WAS.
IF I JUST HAND THAT ROBOT OVER TO MR. SMITH
MY LIFE WOULD BE EASY... WITHOUT CHANGE... JUST LIKE THAT... MY FAMILY TOO...
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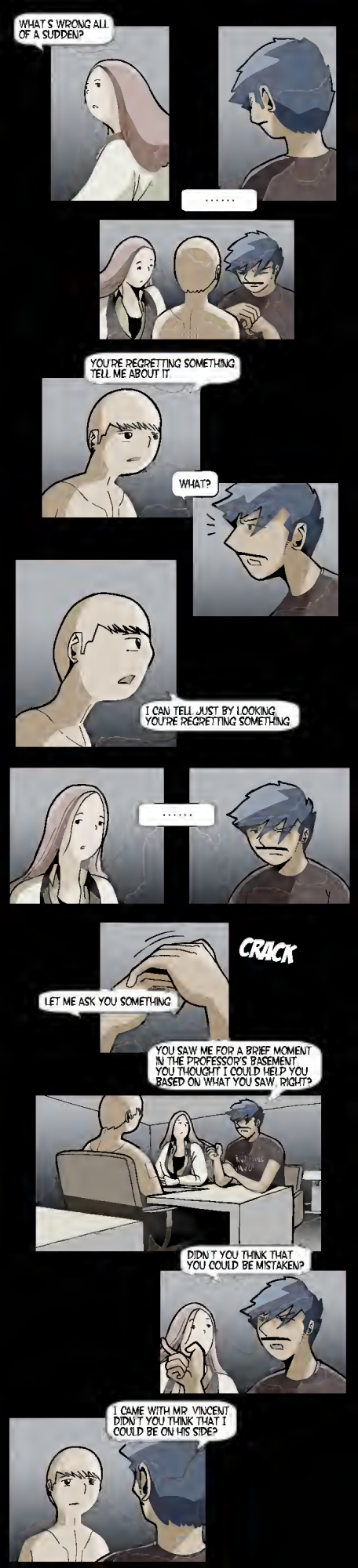
DAMN...THIS IS GIVING ME A HEADACHE.


WHAT'S WRONG ALL OF A SUDDEN?
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YOU'RE REGRETTING SOMETHING. TELL ME ABOUT IT.
WHAT?
I CAN TELL JUST BY LOOKING. YOU'RE REGRETTING SOMETHING.
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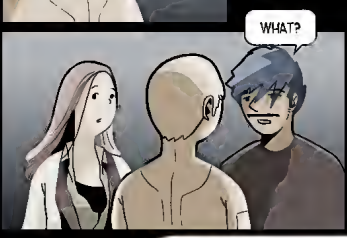
CRACK
LET ME ASK YOU SOMETHING.
YOU SAW ME FOR A BRIEF MOMENT IN THE PROFESSOR'S BASEMENT. YOU THOUGHT I COULD HELP YOU BASED ON WHAT YOU SAW, RIGHT?
DIDN'T YOU THINK THAT YOU COULD BE MISTAKEN?
I CAME WITH MR. VINCENT. DIDN'T YOU THINK THAT I COULD BE ON HIS SIDE?

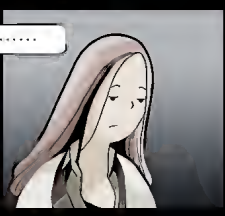
YES.


WHAT?

I CAN TELL BY LOOKING AT YOUR EYES AND HEARING YOUR VOICE.

MY EYESIGHT AND HEARING EXCEED HUMAN CAPABILITIES. AND I'M FAR MORE PERCEPTIVE AFTER RECEIVING THIS BODY. I WAS ABLE TO LEARN MUCH MORE. YOU ARE SOMEONE I CAN TRUST.

YOU'RE WRONG. I'M ONE OF THEM.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NOW YOU'RE LYING.

WHAT?

I DON'T UNDERSTAND. WHY YOU'RE LYING TO ME THAT YOU'RE ON THEIR SIDE.

ARE YOU TRYING TO INVESTIGATE WITHOUT ME? YOU CAN'T
I HAVE THE PROFESSOR'S NOTES AND A DETAILED LAYOUT OF KN GROUP'S MAIN BUILDING
I KNOW WHERE THE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS PROJECT IS LOCATED IN THE BUILDING. I'LL SHOW YOU THE PROOF
WE HAVE TO WORK TOGETHER TO FINISH WHAT THE PROFESSOR STARTED, TO DISCLOSE THIS INFORMATION
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SIGH...
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IF SOMEONE WAS THERE TO ENCOURAGE ME LIKE THIS IN THE PAST, WOULD I HAVE MADE THAT DECISION ?
WELL... EVEN NOW, THERE ARE NO "PEOPLE" HELPING ME OUT...
LET'S TURN BACK TIME
WHAT?

WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
I HAVE SOMEWHERE TO GO. BUY SOME CLOTHES FOR THAT
IT CAN'T WALK AROUND LOOKING LIKE THAT...AS AN INVESTIGATOR

IT MIGHT BE A STUPID DECISION... I MIGHT LOSE MANY THINGS...
HOWEVER, I DON'T THINK I'LL HAVE ANY REGRETS WITH THIS DECISION...

WHAT... YOU'RE NOT A RICE COOKER YOU'RE A CYBORG!!! IT'S UNSIGHTLY OF YOU TO RECHARGE YOURSELF LIKE THAT
UNSIGHTLY... HOW COULD YOU SAY THAT?
?
I MEAN SITTING LIKE THAT IT LOOKS LIKE A HOUSE APPLIANCE AND WHY ARE YOU WEARING MAKEUP AT THIS HOUR?
WELL... IT DIDN'T RECOGNIZE THAT I WAS ALSO IN THE BASEMENT
ARE YOU SERIOUS!!! IT DIGS DEEP INTO MY CONSCIENCE AND BOASTS ABOUT ITS PERCEPTIVITY BUT IT CAN'T EVEN RECOGNIZE A WOMAN WEARING MAKEUP?!! YOU'RE JUST A TIN CAN WITH A FACE
HOW COULD YOU SAY THAT!!!

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